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**Conclusion**

Applicants respectfully submit that this application is now in condition for allowance. If the Examiner believes that issues remain to be addressed before a Notice of Allowance, applicants respectfully request that the Examiner contact the undersigned to discuss any outstanding issues.

If there is any fee due in connection with the filing of this Amendment, please charge the fee to our Deposit Account No. 07/1139.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: June 28, 2002By: 

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4. Charge \$568 Fee (\$400 Extension Fee and \$168 Extra Claims Fee) to  
Deposit Account No. 07/1139.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge  
any additional required fees to our deposit account Deposit Account No. 07/1139.

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